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Dedication

In years past, the Senior Class has dedicated the Commoner to the man who had contributed the most to that class. This year, however, we want to dedicate it to a man who has contributed his time and effort to every class — every year.

It is with great appreciation and respect that we, the Class of 1971, dedicate the Commoner to Clyde P. Simmons, Jr.



Headmaster's Message

Despite the risk of echoing other headmasters of other schools and in other times, I must say that this has probably been one of the most remarkable years that Sterling has had in its 13-year history. The Senior Class assays a relatively large group of four-year boys, who have watched — and not undismayed, I am sure — a great number of changes hardly imagined when they were boisterously answering questions that fall in Elements of History.

I can hardly recall a class that had as many individuals, who stick out in the mind. I think that this individuality of its members has probably led to its lack of cohesiveness as a unit. All of us who remain here at Sterling will watch the future of this class with a great deal of interest, for they have some remarkable characteristics.

Mrs. Stebbins and I join the rest of the faculty and staff in wishing all of you the very best in a turbulent and uncertain world. It is our firm conviction that you will shortly enter a larger arena as well prepared for the contest as any group of young men — watch out for the lean lions.

Our best to you all.

John Stebbins

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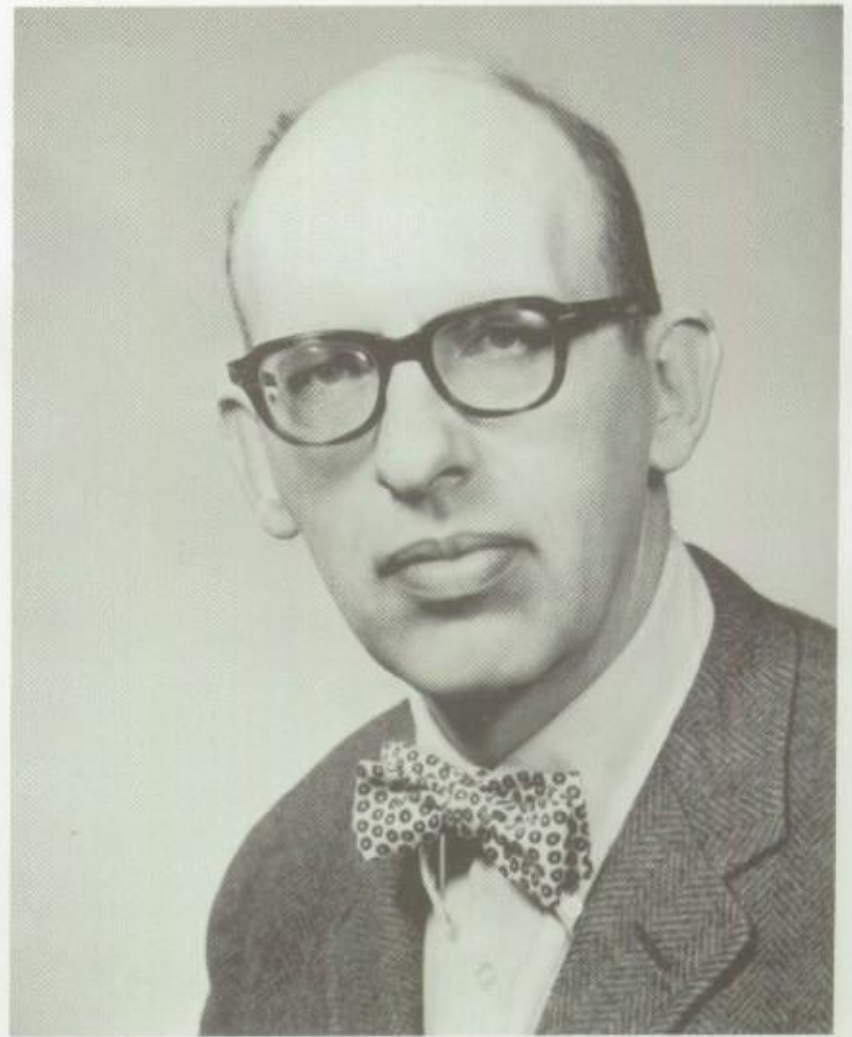
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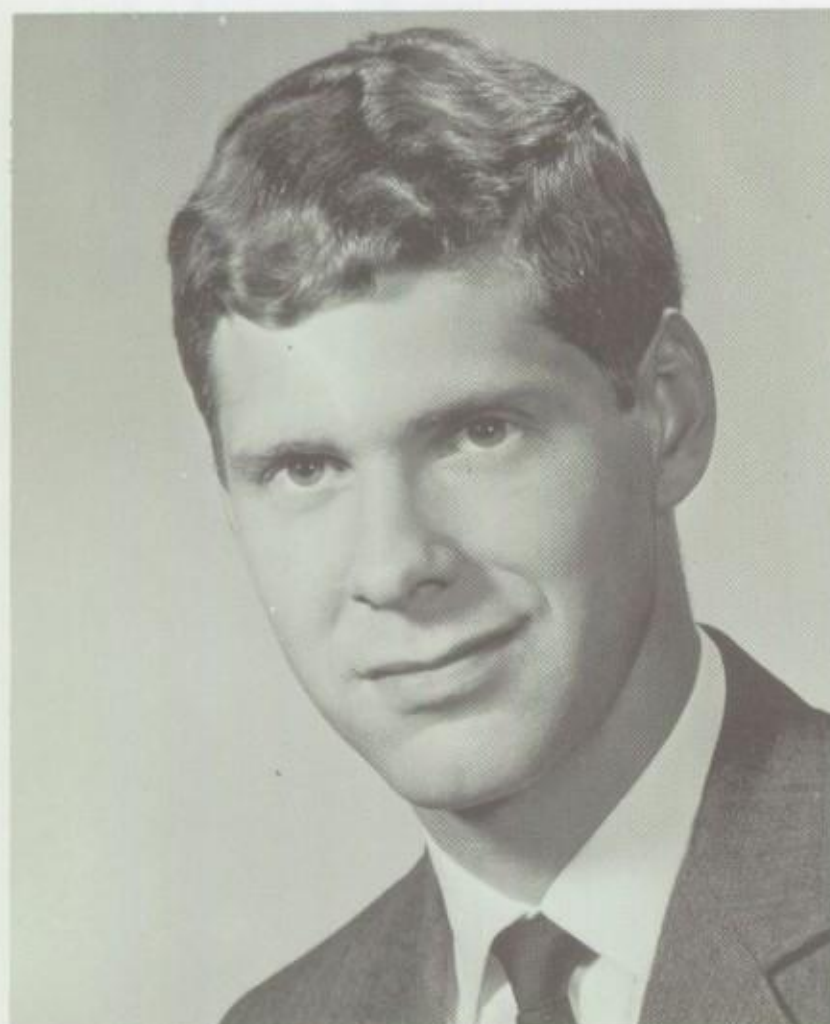
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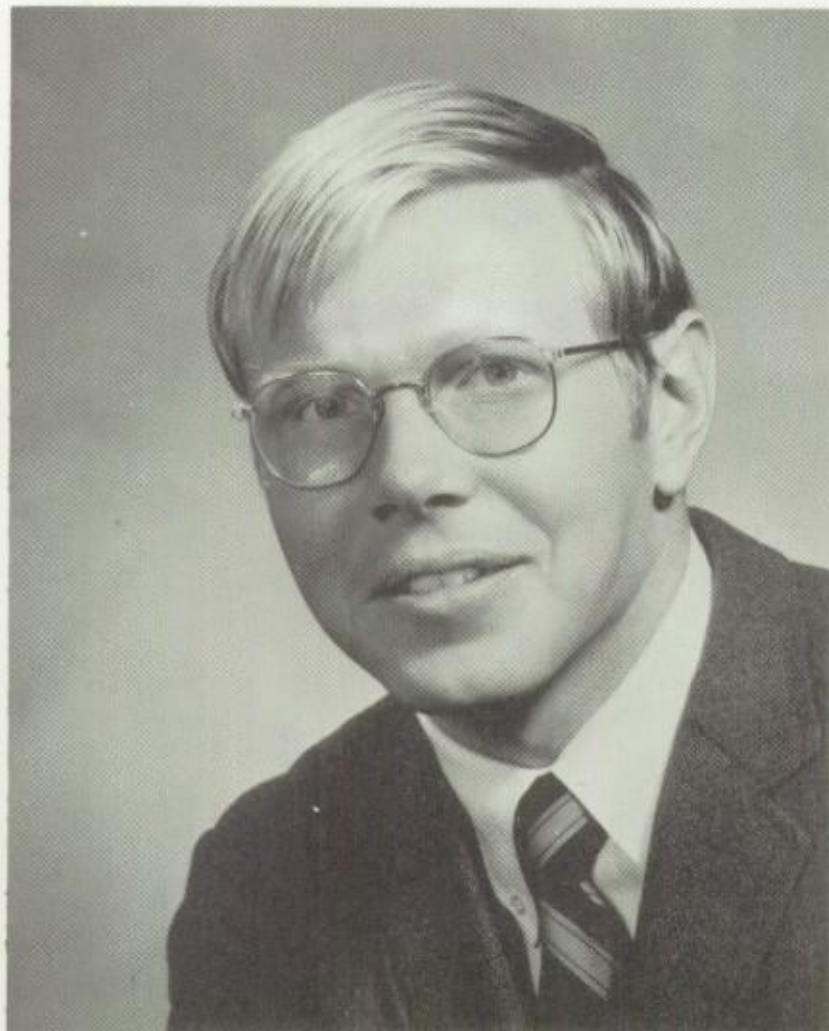
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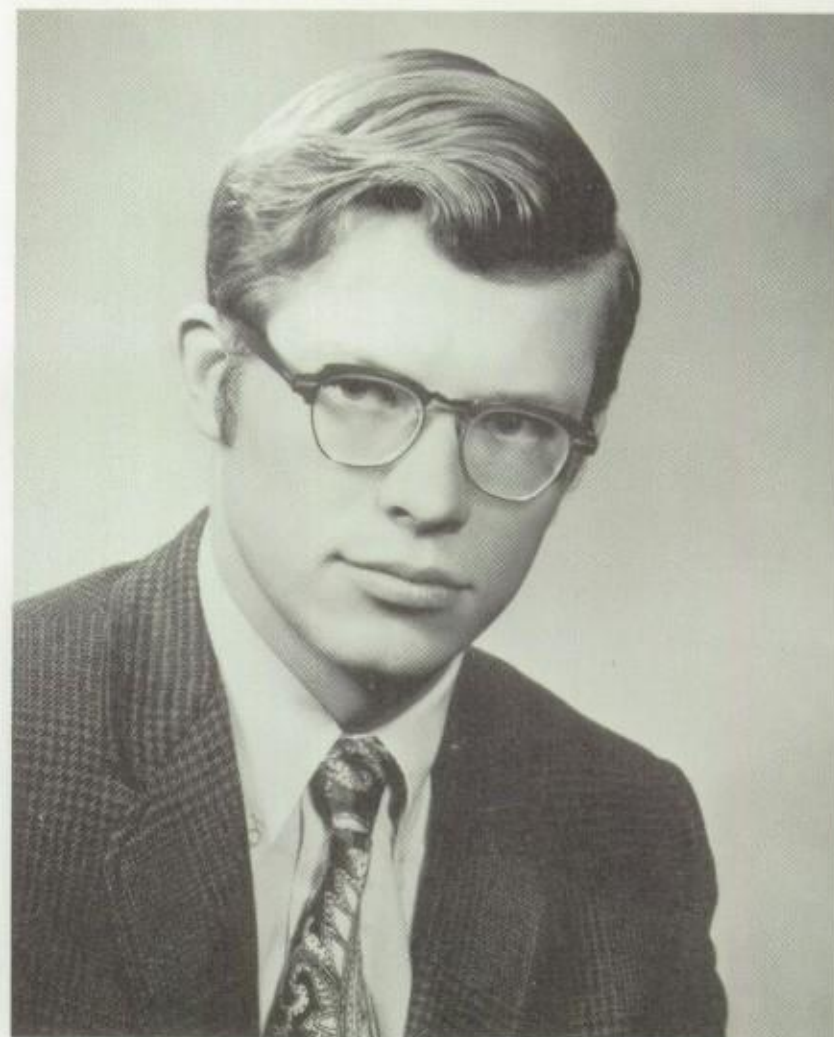
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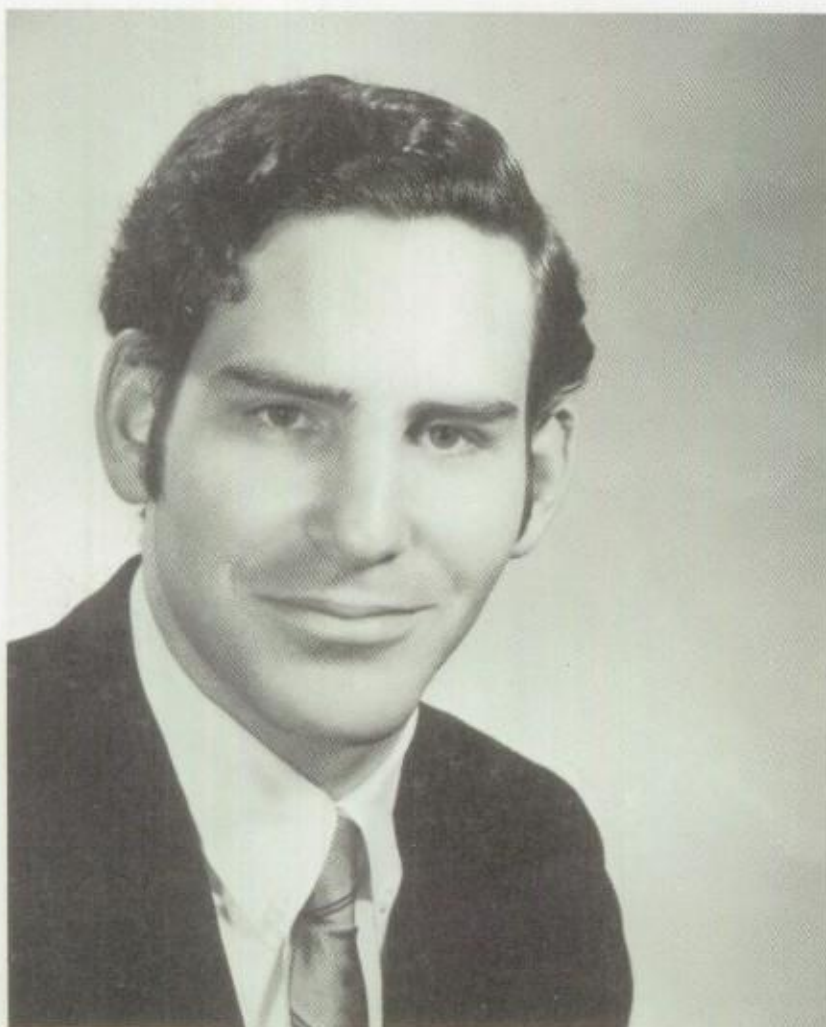
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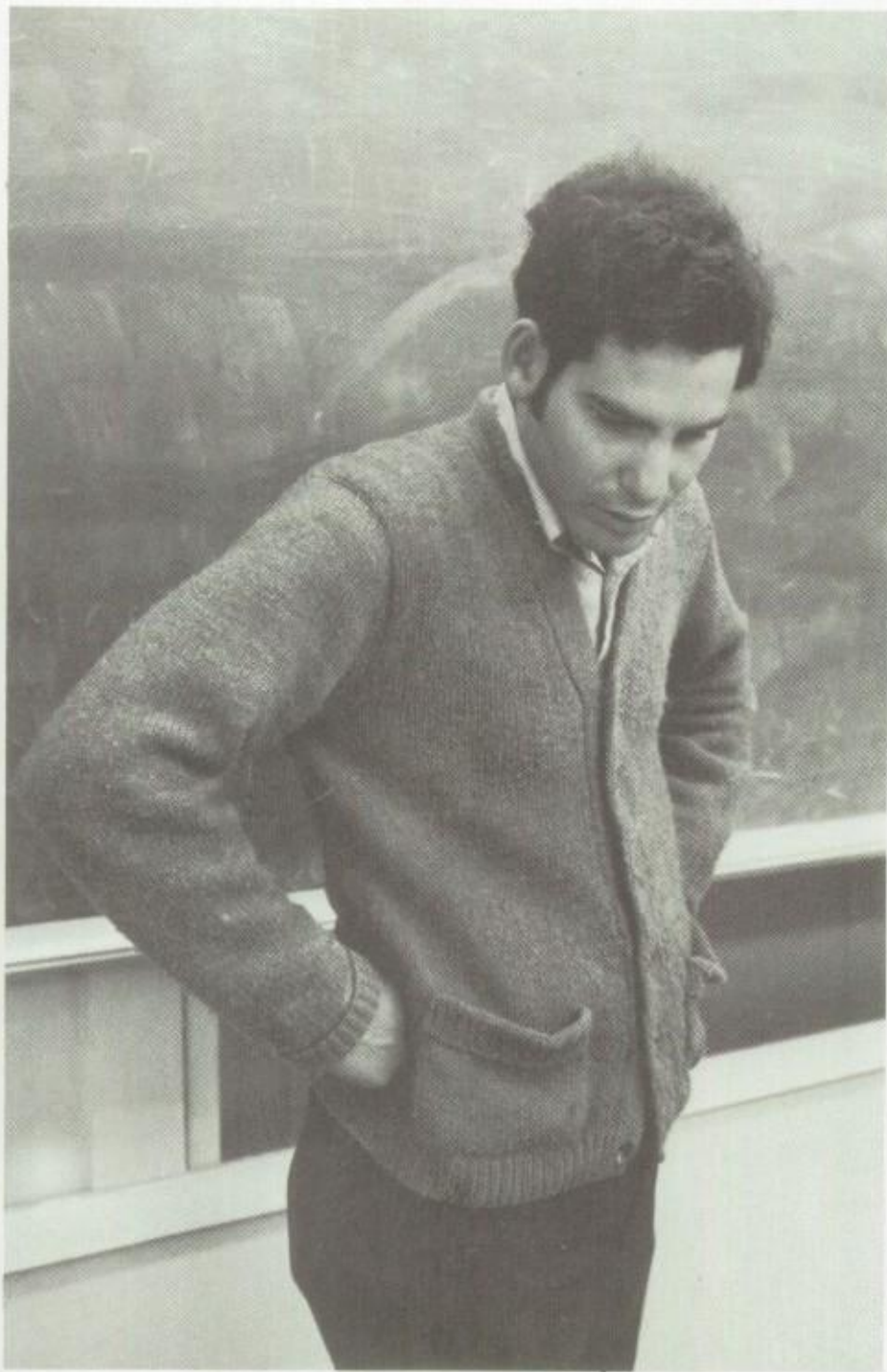


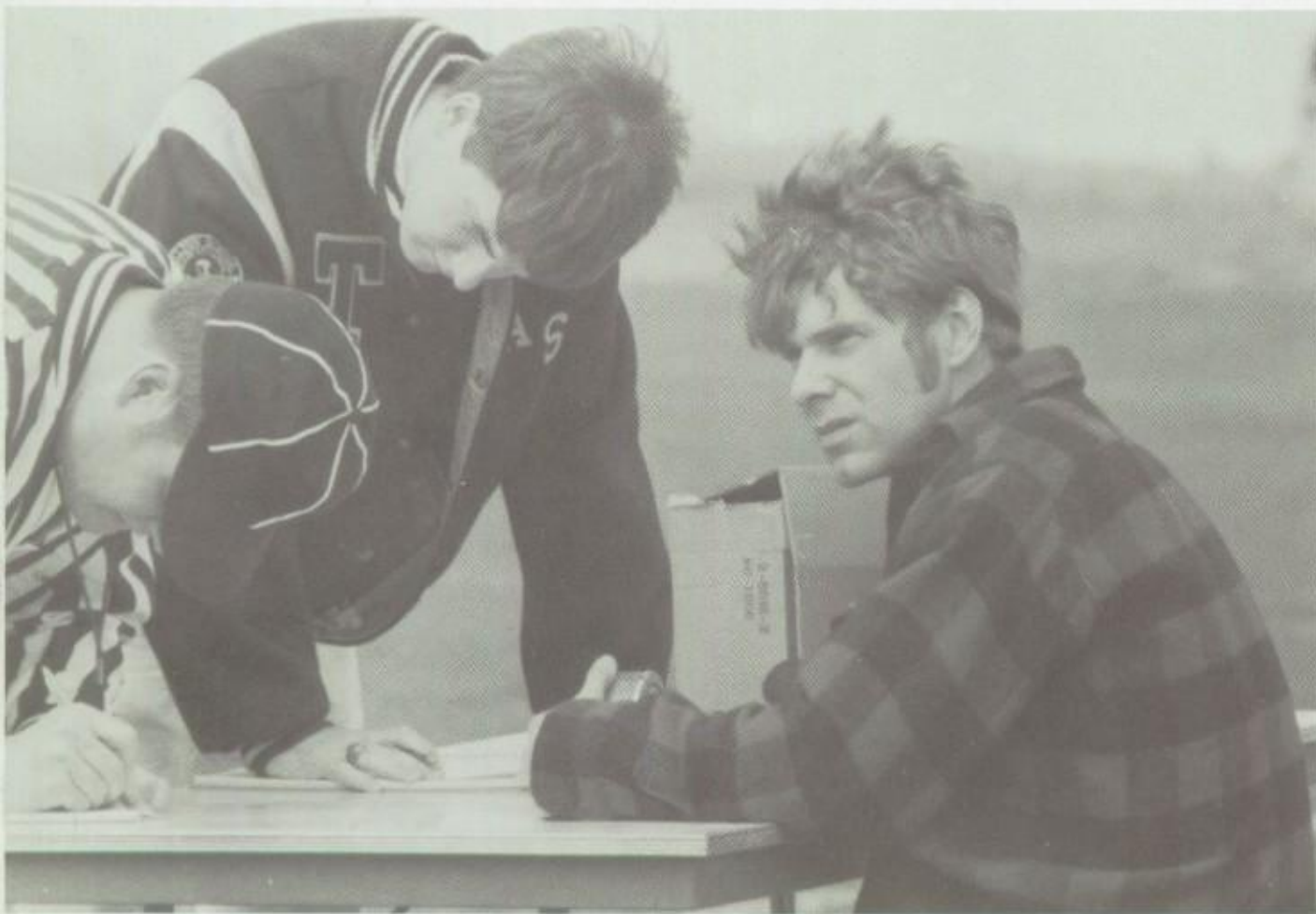
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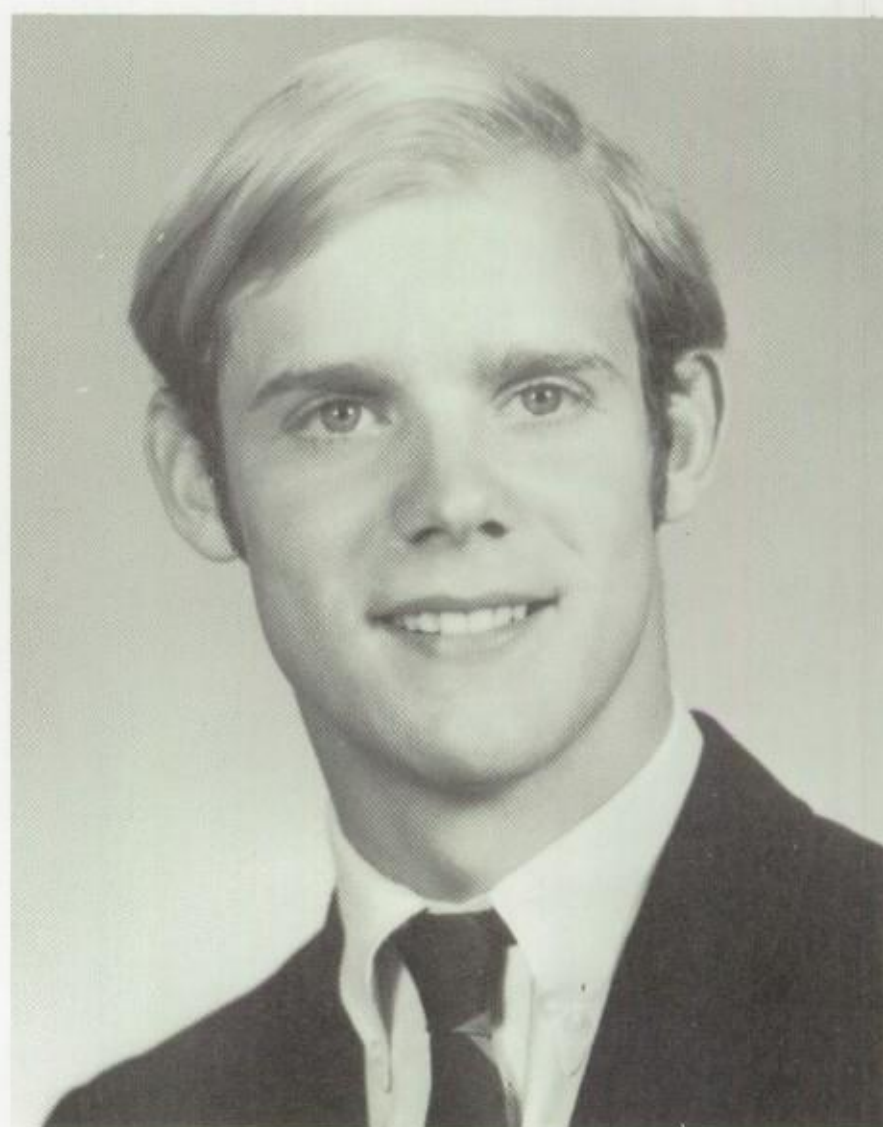
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I have been at Sterling for four years now. I have seen three graduating classes and three very different sets of people.

In the time I have been here I have enjoyed a total educational experience. I have learned a great deal about different people and their differing ideas.

My class too has felt the influx of different ideas. They have changed a great deal and, in spite of any facade put on, they have proven they were ready when the time came. I attribute this to the total learning experience at Sterling.

William M. Hibbard

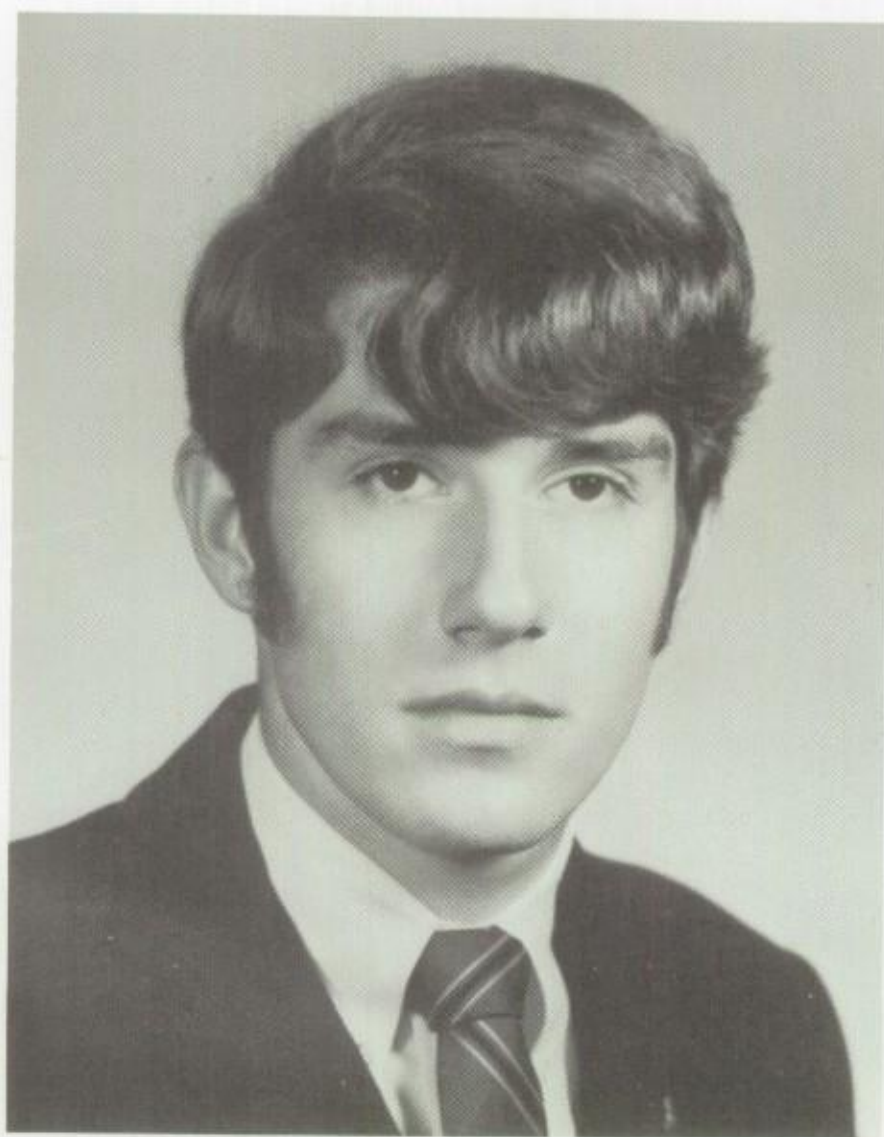
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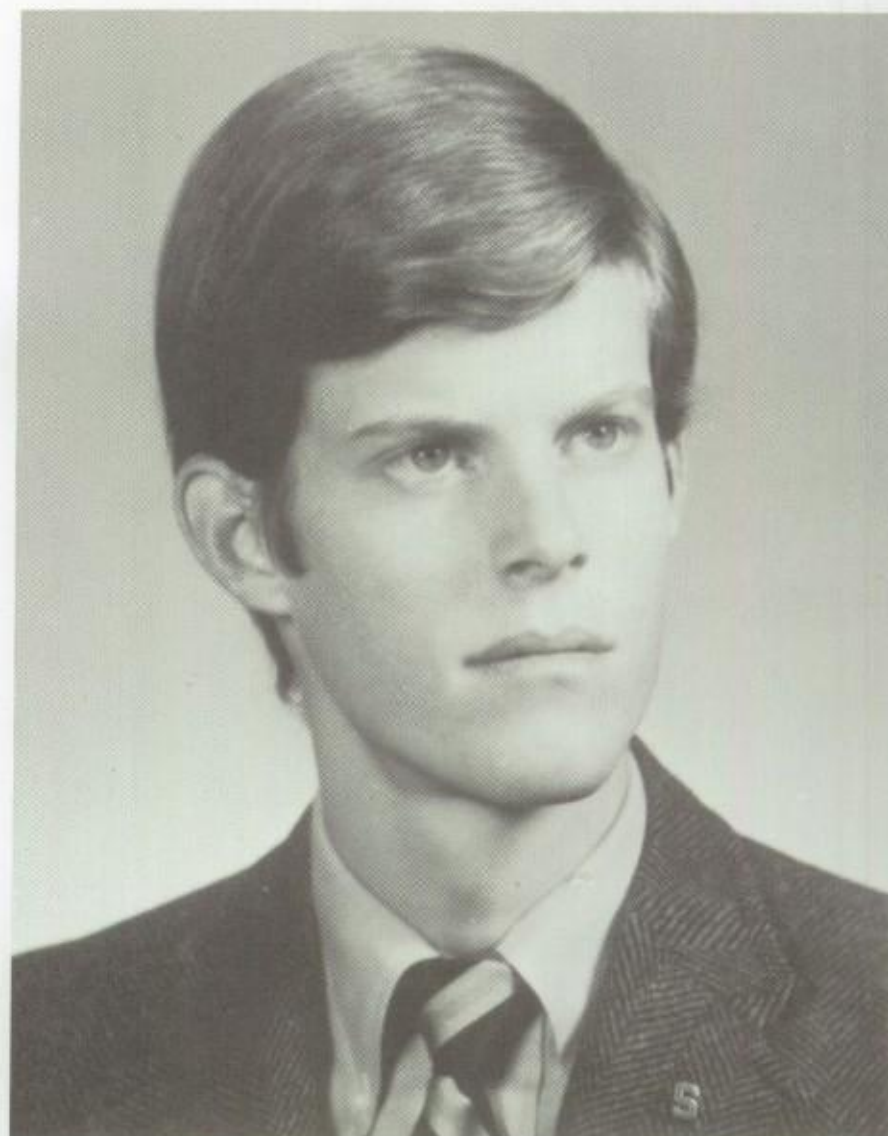
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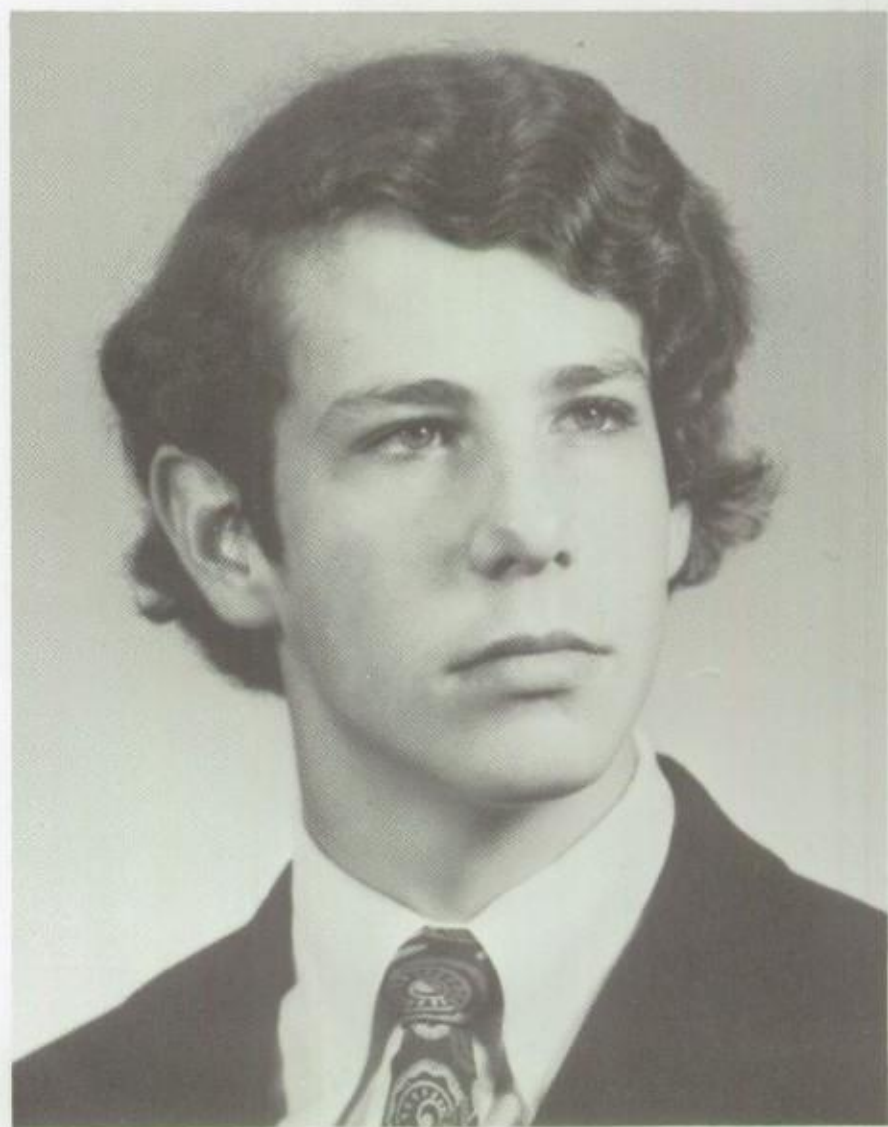
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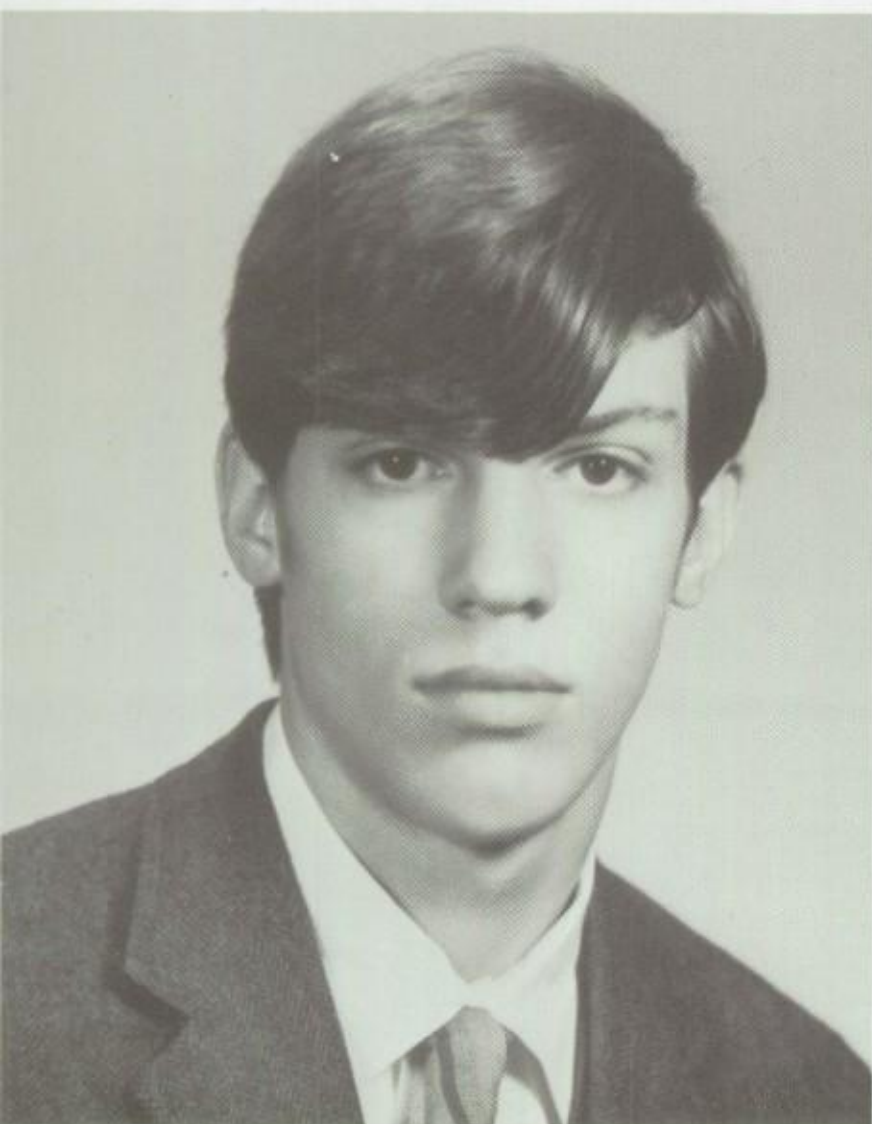
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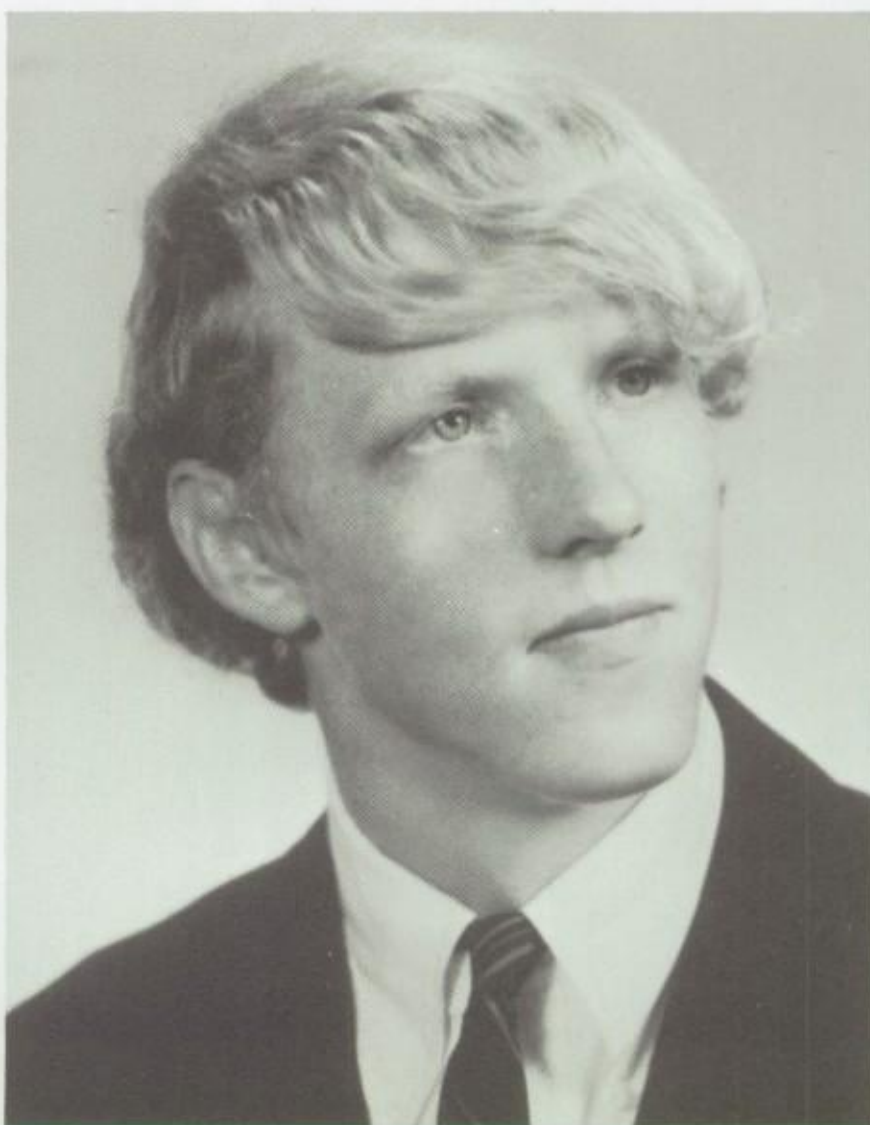
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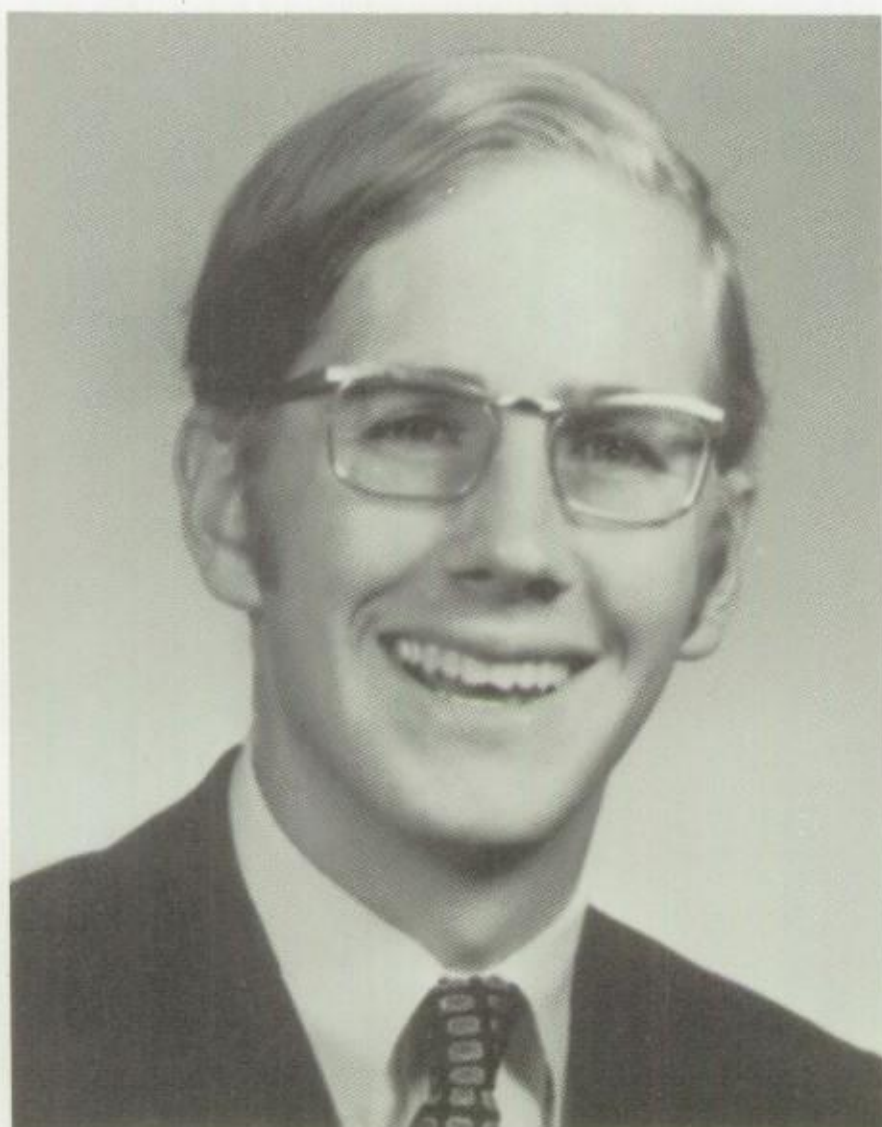
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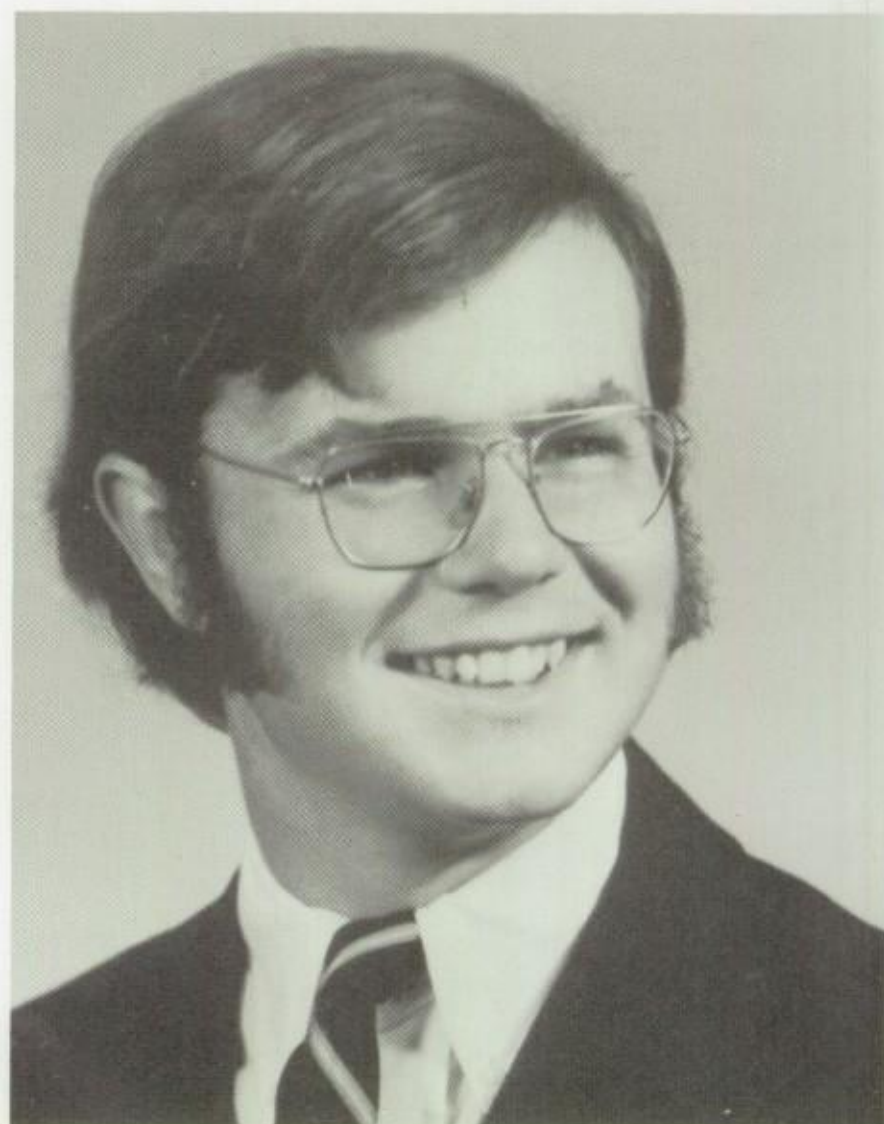
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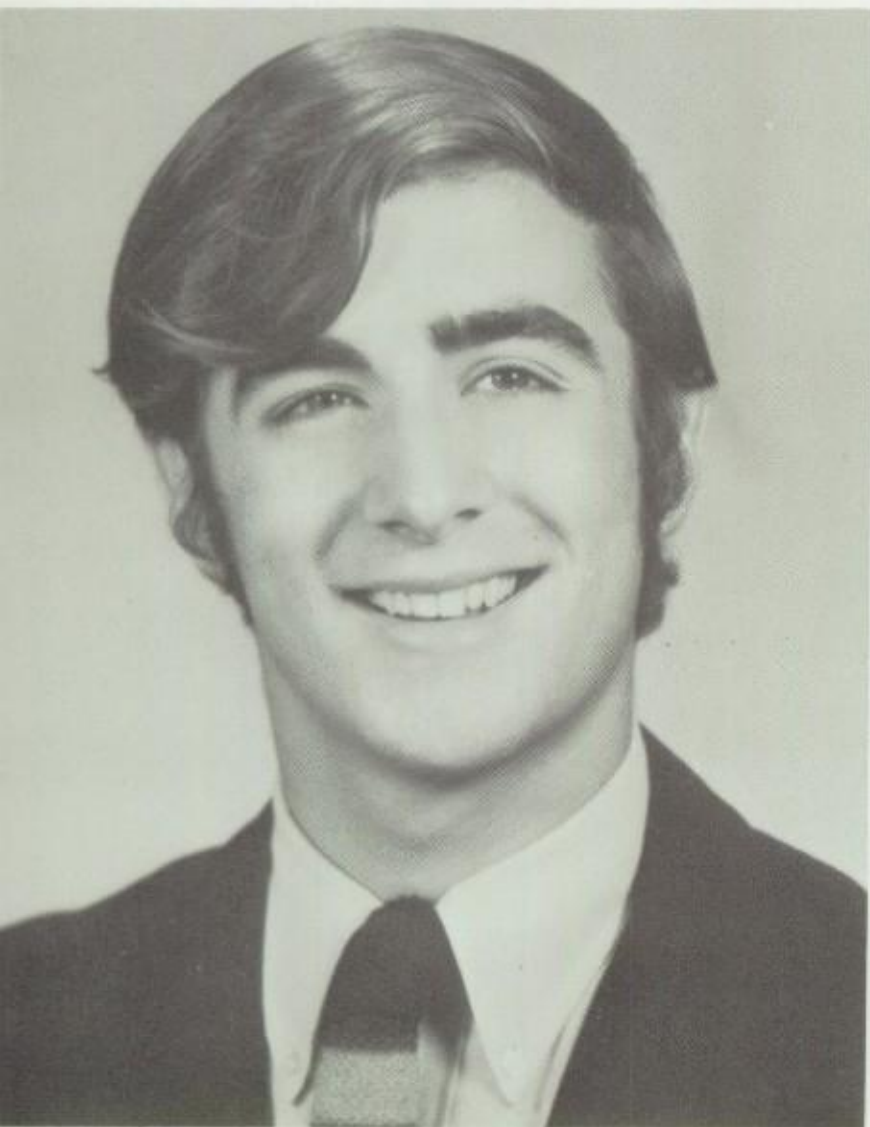
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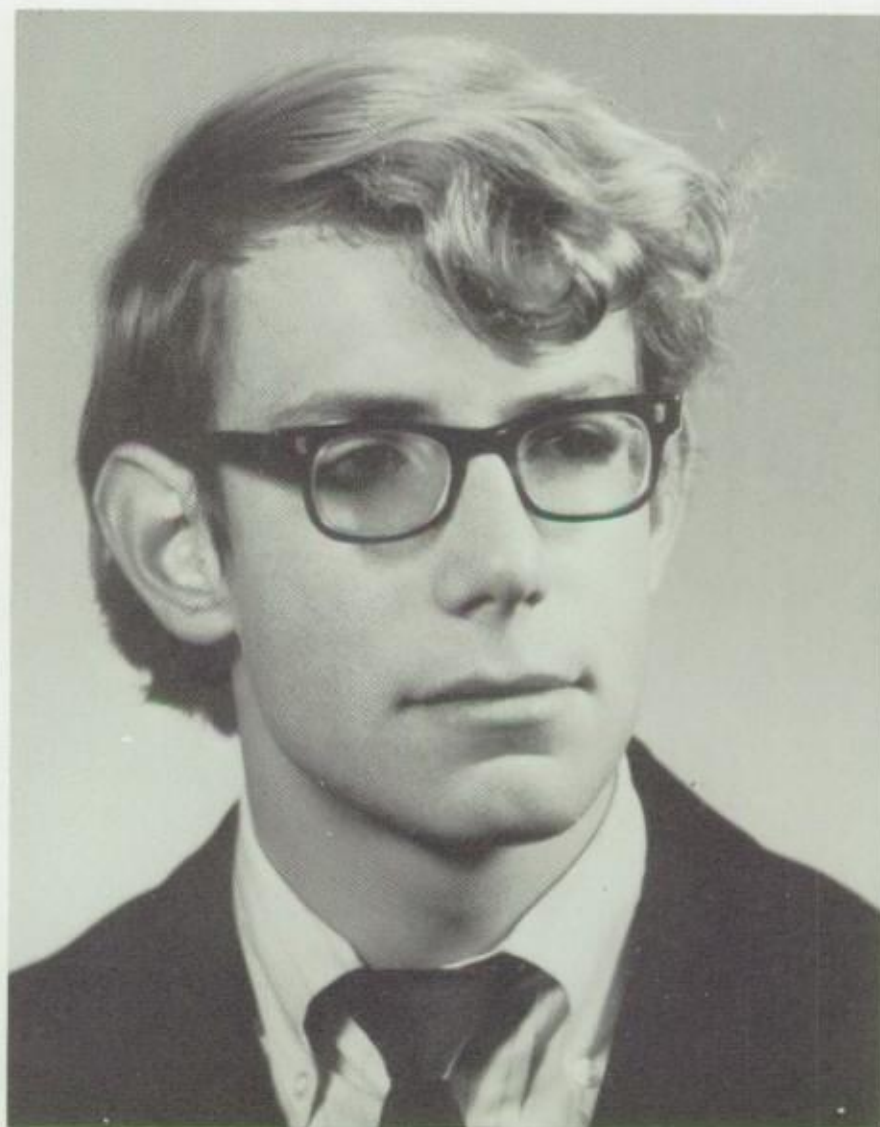
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Juniors



Top, L. to R.: Macfarlane, Windish, Hubbard, Gourd, Ritchie, Stevens, Shapiro, Shakespeare, Hartzell, Hawkins. Middle, L. to R.: Carey, Ross, Brookins, Neilson, Herne. Bottom, L. to R.: Miles, Arthur, Loud, Matthews.

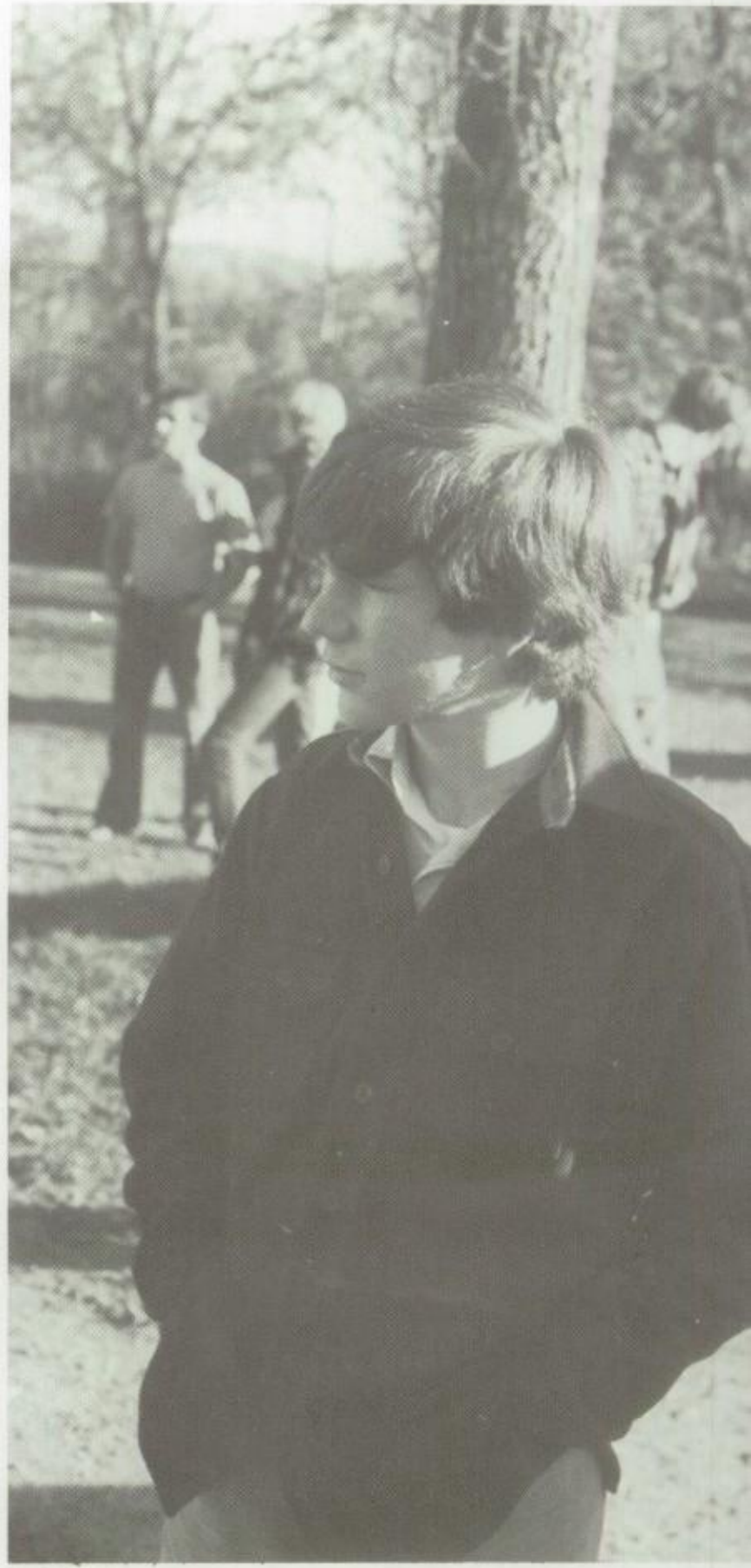
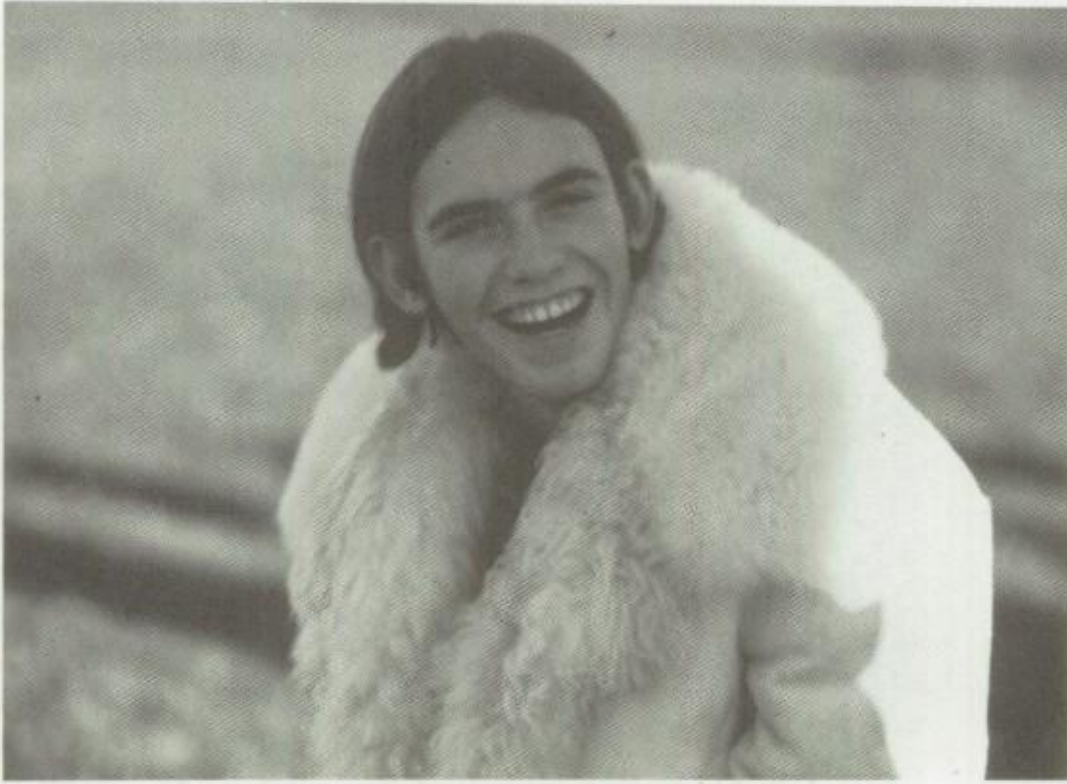
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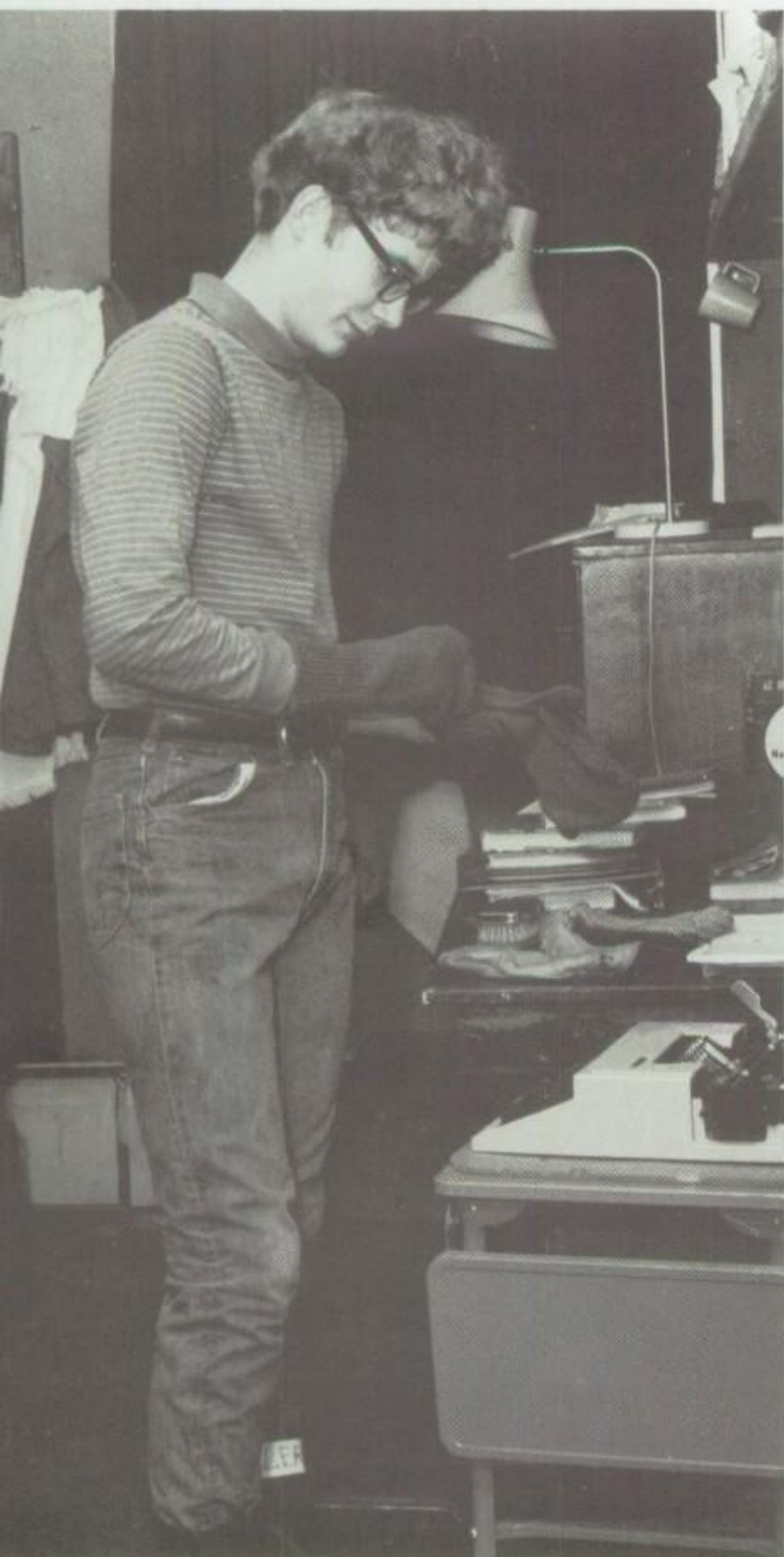


Back, L. to R.: Brown, Cree, Barger, Cook, Armijo, Pitman, Ganister. Front, L. to R.: Karnish, Jones, Lackey, Rom.



Back, L. to R.: Vaughan, Taler, Smith, Sammartano, Talbot, Sperber, Unwin. Front, L. to R.: Stone, Russell, Simmons, Sanborn.





Caucus



Macfarlane, Long, Berry, Hubbard, Hibbard, Miles, Rom, Loud.

Junior Diaconate



Brown, Stone, Vaughan, Grieve, Armijo, Cook, Koegel, Cullerton.

Silver Key

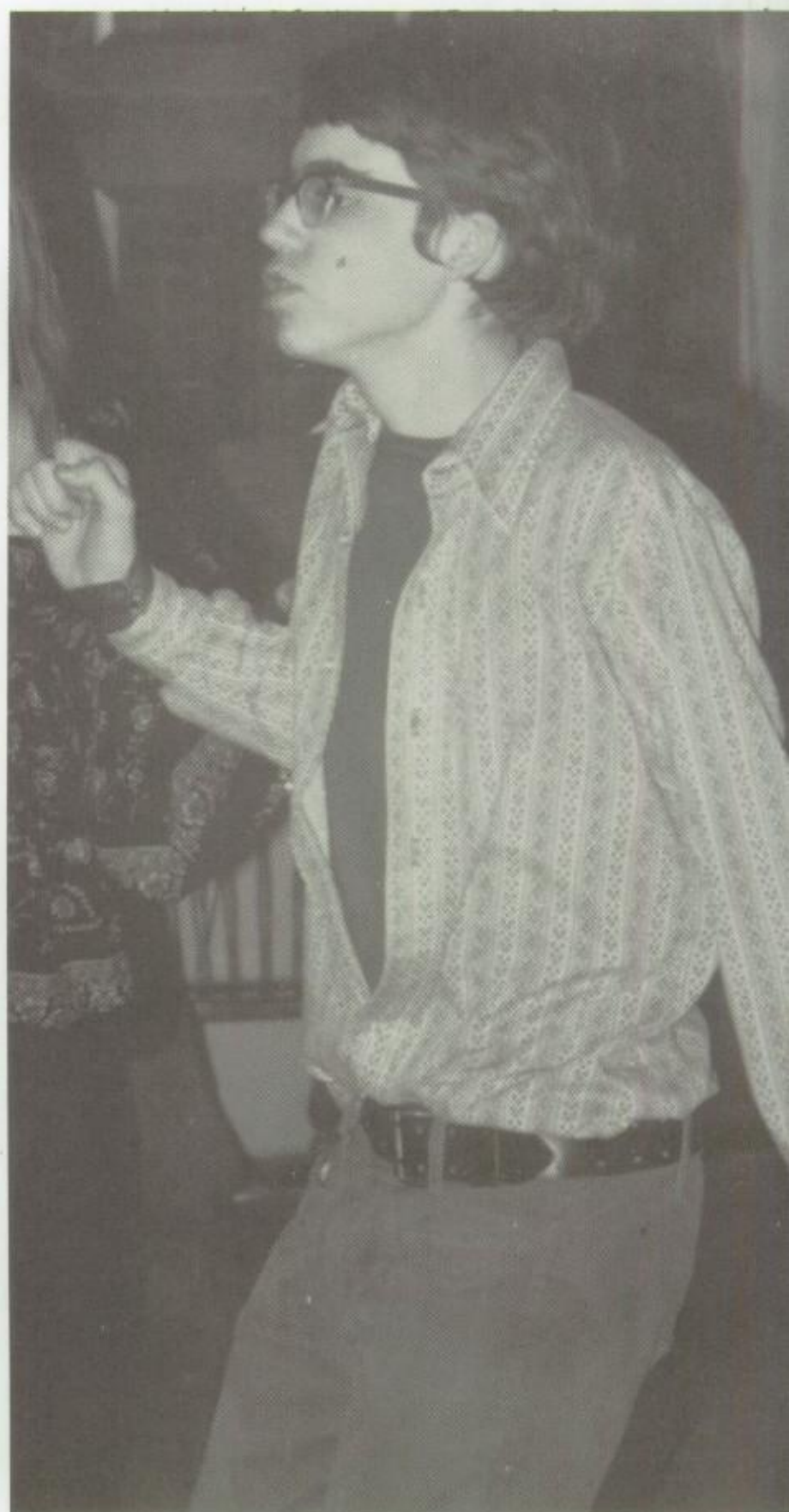


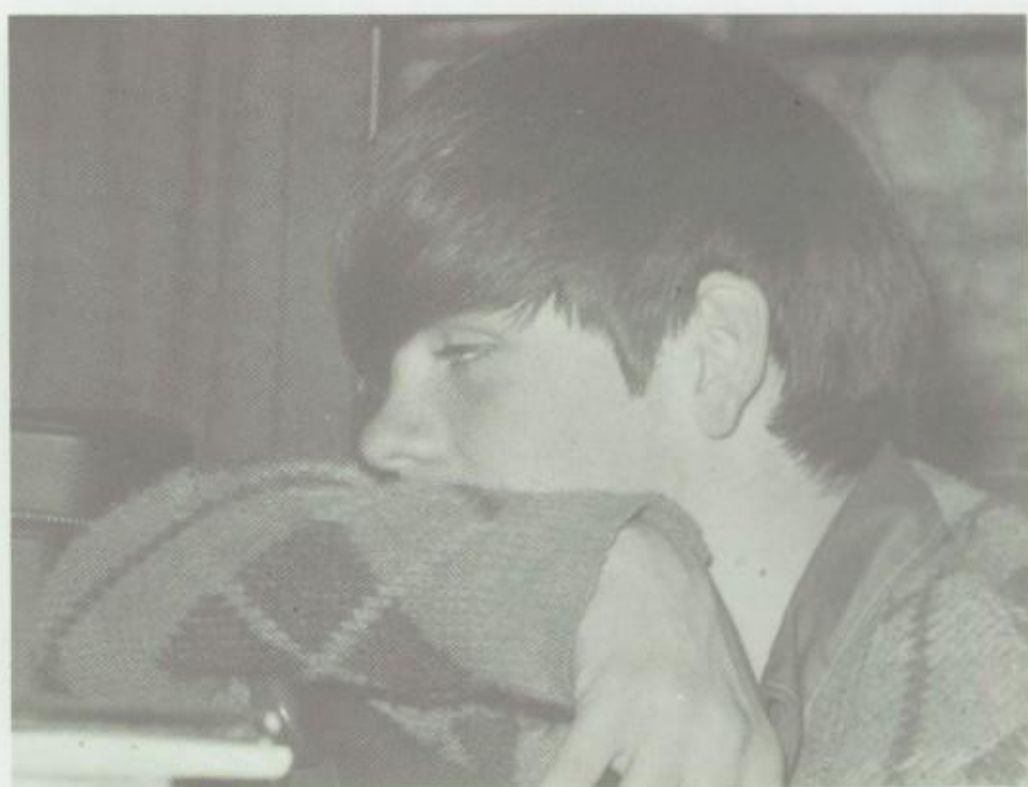
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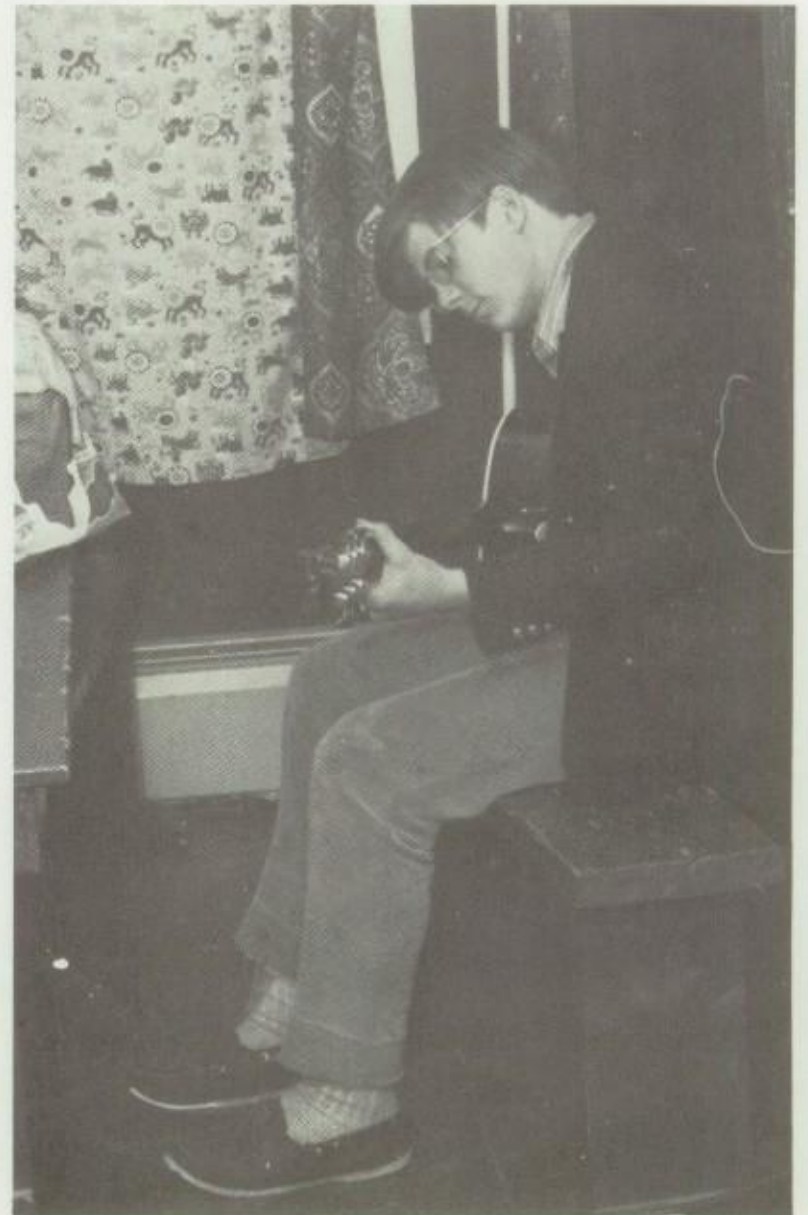
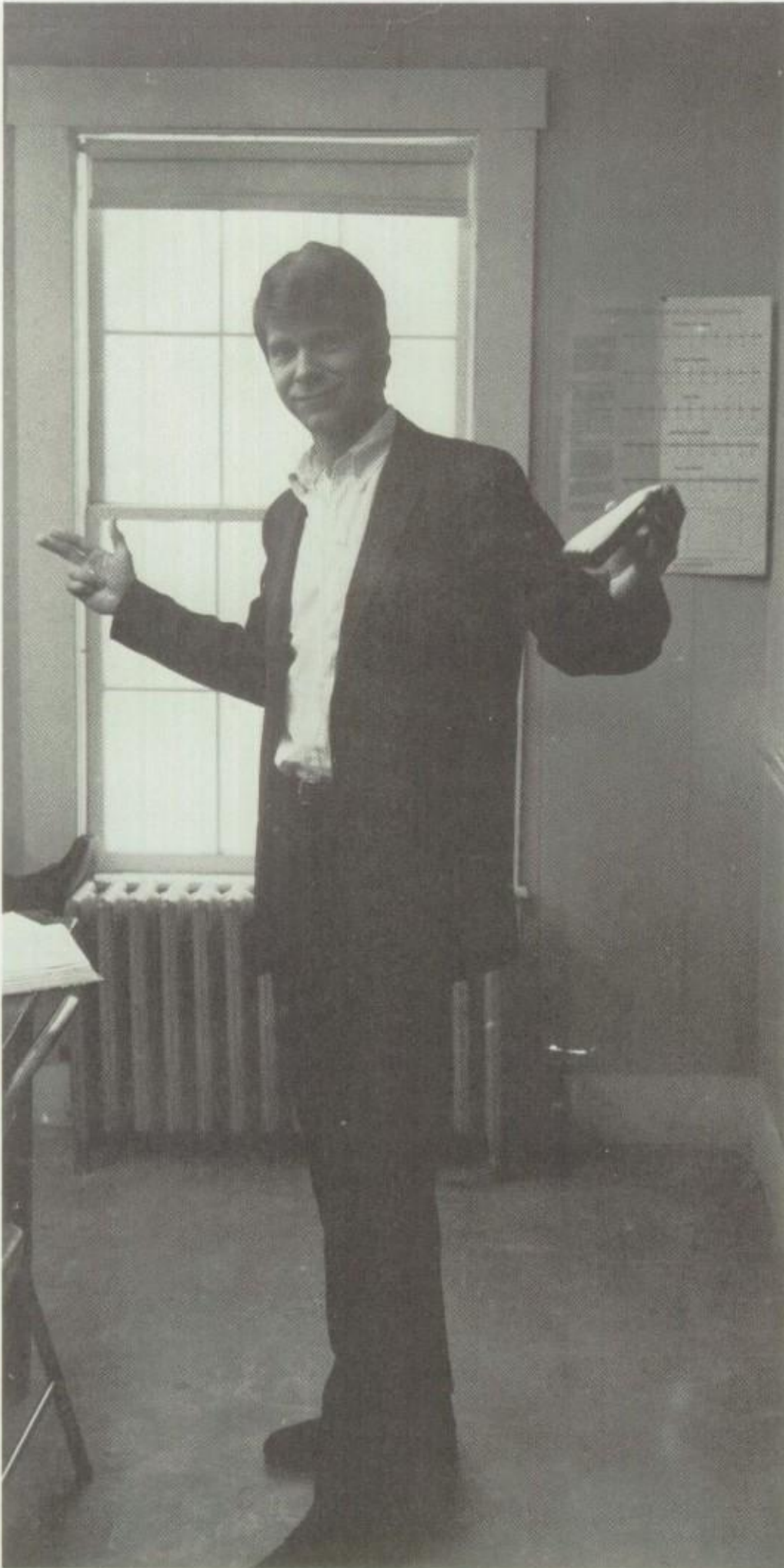
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Shakespeare, Macfarlane, Hawkins, Miles.

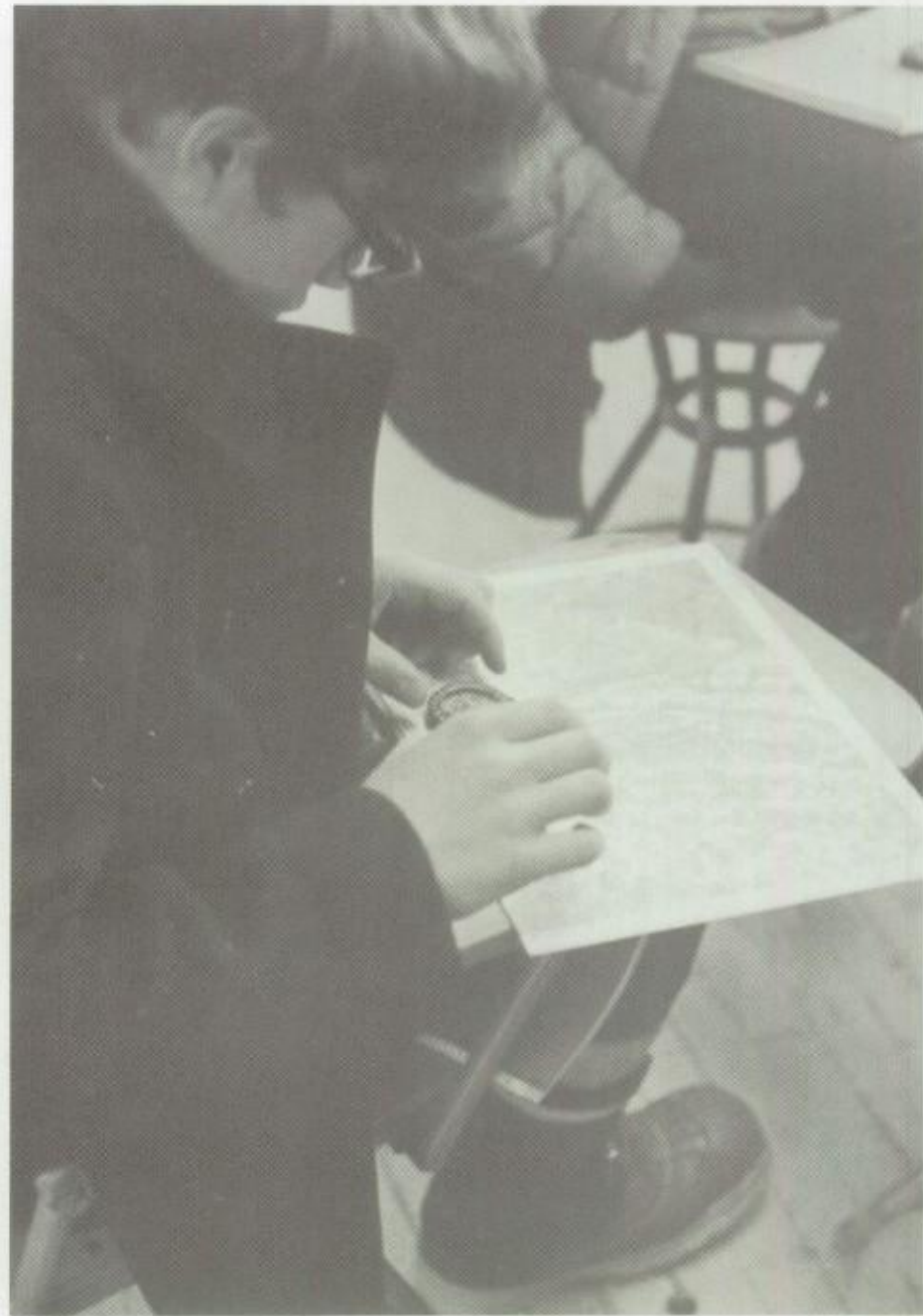








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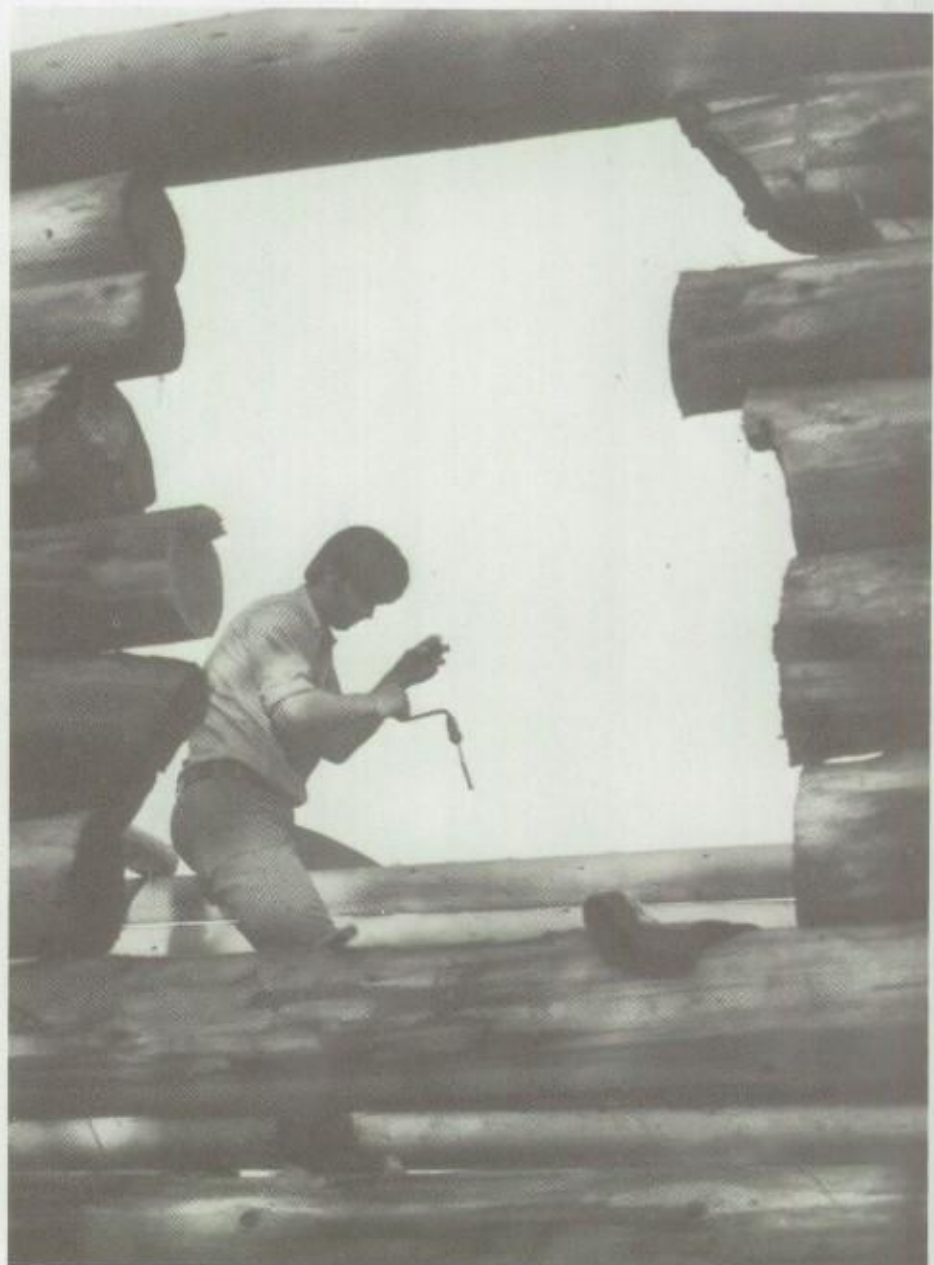
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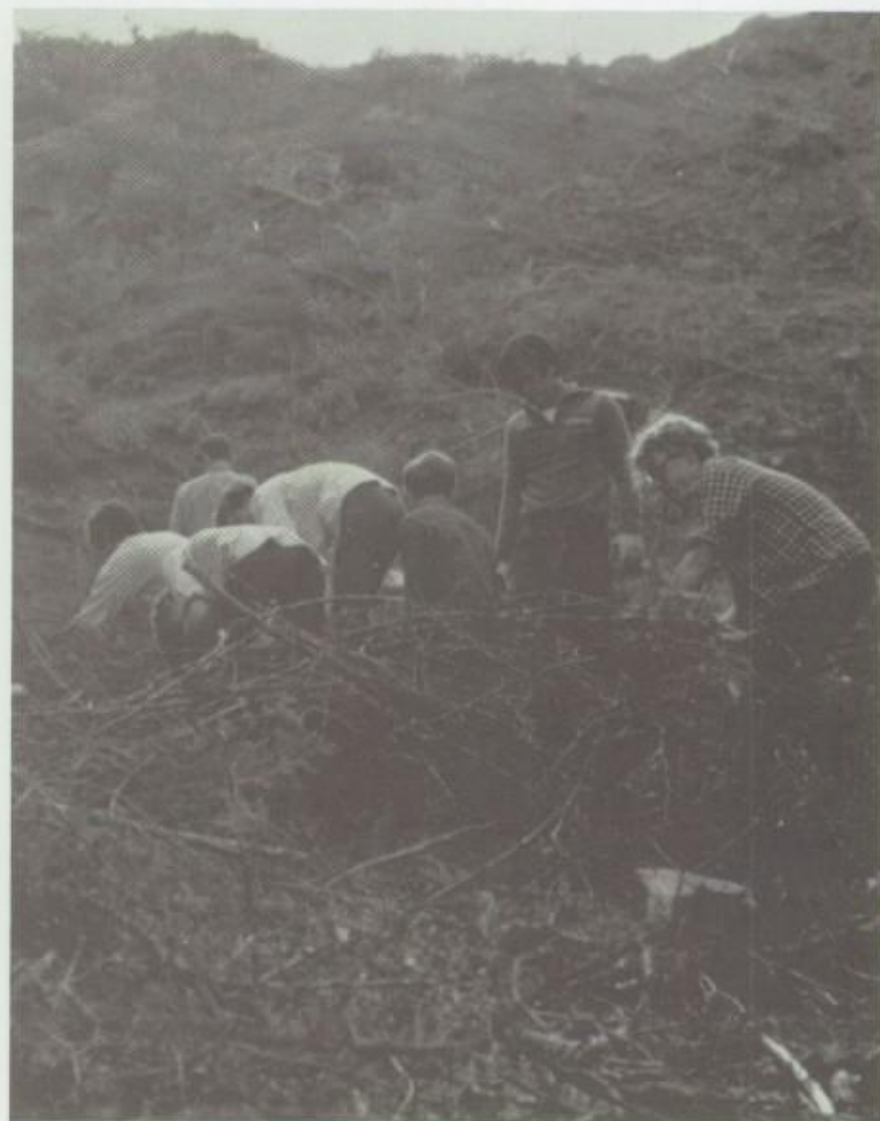














Physical f-f-fitness



"Damn it's cold"



How many sticks do
I rub together?



Bounder

Home sweet home



The Headquarters crew



The long and winding road

Thirst



We made it



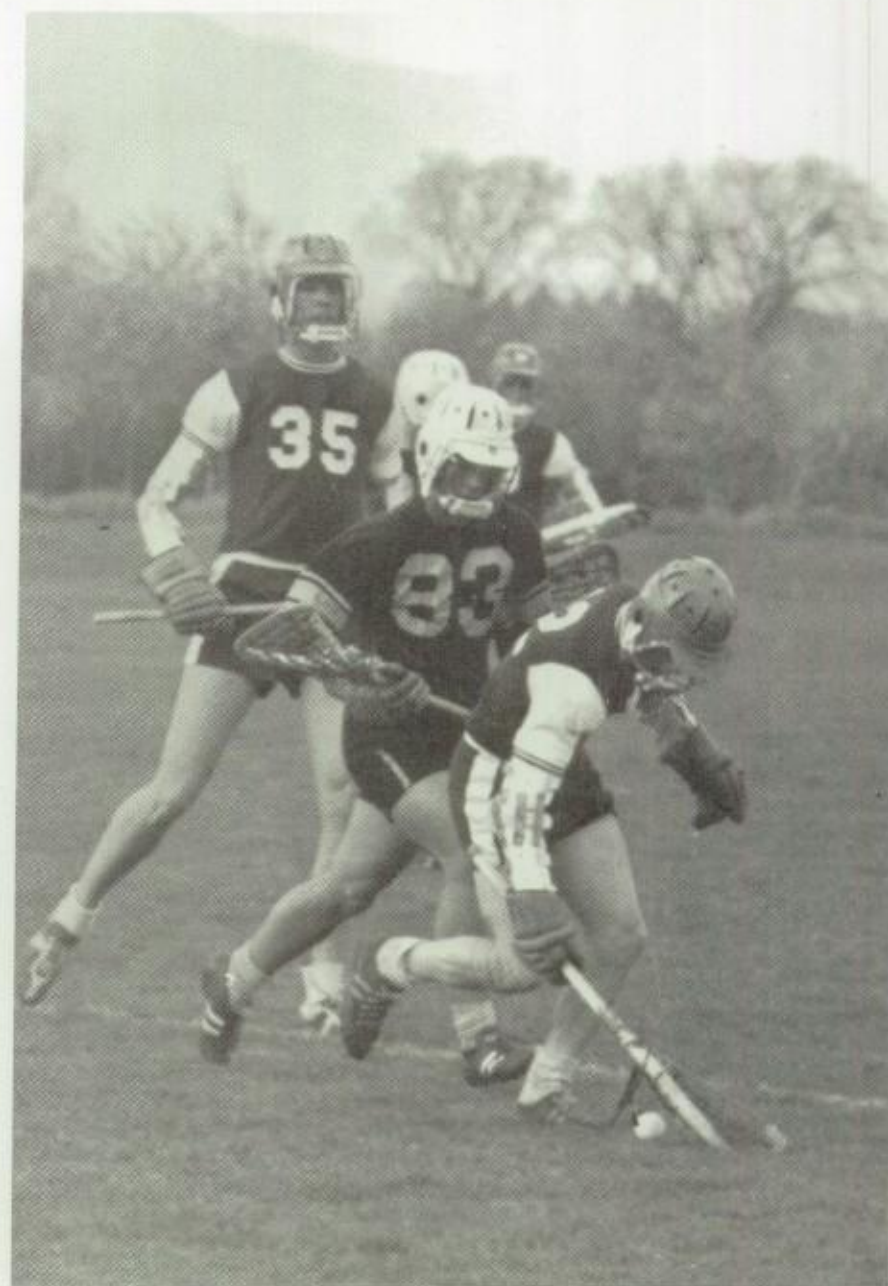
One more day



Alone



Baker drives for a score



Oops . . .



Cree makes another save

Lacrosse '70



Kyle one-on-one



Mr. Hopkins fires 'em up



A Sterling score

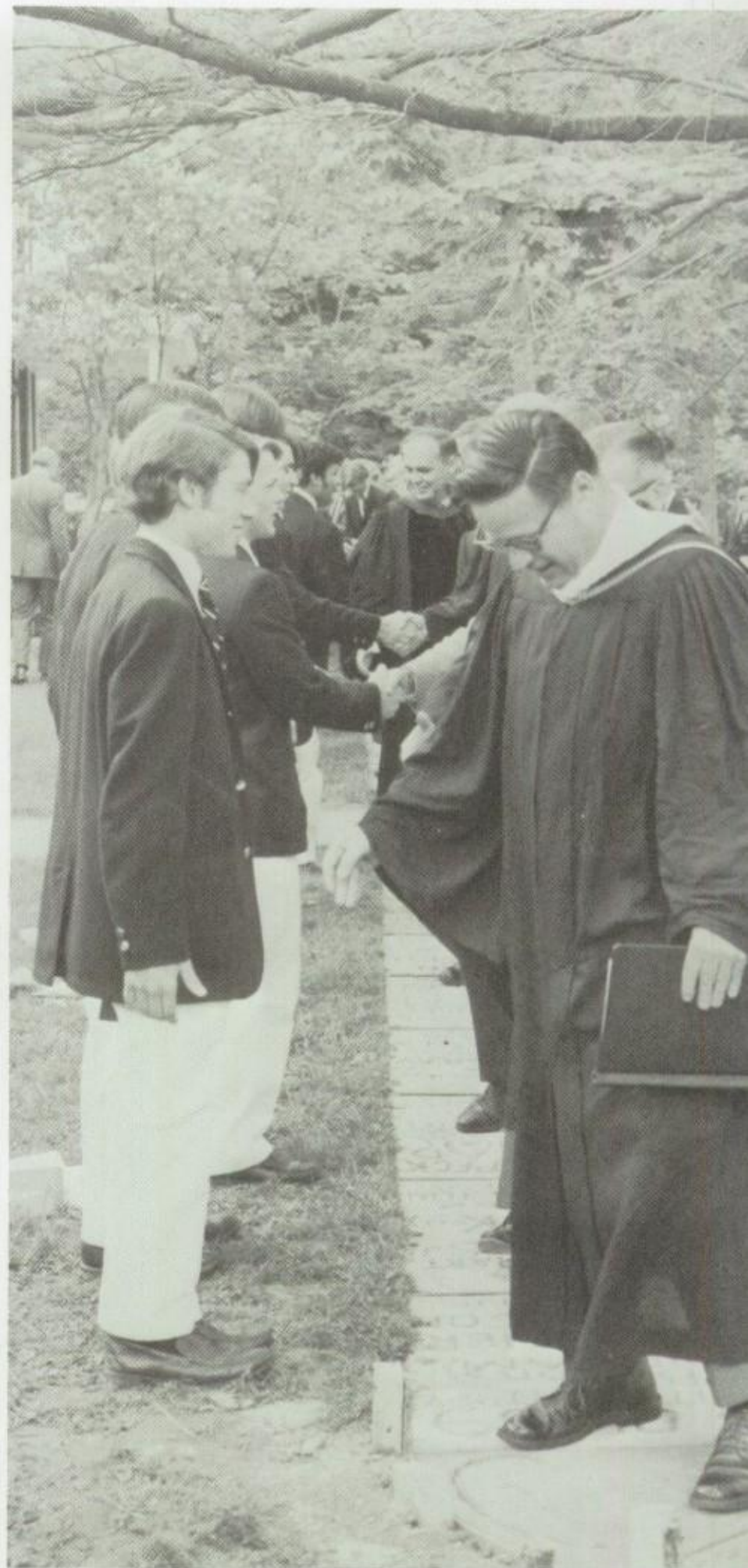
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Two more for the Northrop's



Signing the Senior Walk



The last goodbye



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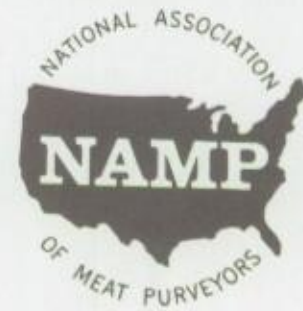
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